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Sir:

Applicants submit herewith Form PTO-1050 in duplicate to correct errors contained in the above-captioned printed patent.

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The subject patent US 7,312,062 (application number 10/779,427 filed February 13, 2004) is a division of US application no. 09/856,819, filed on May 24, 2001, now abandoned, which is a national phase of PCT/DK99/00664 filed November 29, 1999.

On November 22, 2004, Applicant submitted inadvertently omitted Figure 1 in its Response to Missing Parts. Said Figure 1 was taken from PCT application no. PCT/DK99/00664 filed November 29, 1999, which was incorporated by reference when the application was filed on February 13, 2004 and therefore did not introduce new matter. As such, the subject application, now USP 7,312,062 should properly have been awarded the filing date of February 13, 2004, the actual filing date, not November 22, 2004 when Figure 1 was filed.

Since the error was caused by the Patent Office, Applicants submit that no fee is required. However, if a fee is required, please charge the fee to Novozymes North America, Inc., Deposit Account No. 50-1701.

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Cover page: Line 22

Delete “(22) Filed: Nov. 22, 2004”
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